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Senior Class
1951



School days, School days, dear old golden rule days.

'Ole A. C. H. S.

FORWARD

Our yesterdays follow us; they constitute our life, and they give character and force and meaning to our present deeds.

— Joseph Parker

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FACULTY

ACTIVITIES

CLASSES



Big wheels of the senior class. President Carolyn Egly, Vice-President Don Haines.



Another day of drudgery, Just 78 days left of school.

Top row (left to right)

A Handy Man to have around the house, Shop Class.
Peck, peck, oh darn this typewriter! Typing class.



Bottom row (left to right)

A nice time to get a little rest, eh Kenny? Assembly Hall.
Future Homemakers, I wonder! Home Economics Class.





Top row (left to right)
The Slurpin Susies at the lunchroom.
Book worms in the library.

Bottom row (left to right)
Eyes to the front, boys — Sophomore English class.
Swing it gals — Goble's Band class.



ADAMS COUNTY

JANUARY 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31

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Not Pictured: Dave Sprunger



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B.S., Ball State
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Hartford Seminary
Agriculture

SCHOOL HELP



Janitor, Joe Baumgartner.

Cooks, Alta Byerly, Pauline Baumgartner, Lela Arnold.

BUS DRIVERS



1st Row (left to right): Ora Ratcliff, Calvin McKean, William Griffiths, Harold Barger, Harold Schwartz.

2nd Row (left to right): Loris Rich, Rollie Wable, Rachel Eicher, Forrest Sprunger, Eddie Von Gunten.

Not Pictured: Norman Steffen, Menno Eicher, James Huddleston, Brice Fisher.



Activities



Top to Bottom:

DMITRI HENDRICKS — Sr. — Our bench guard and star of the Sectional Tourney.

GERALD NUSSBAUM — Sr. — A two-handed set shot artist and a good rebounder.

CHARLIE HOFFMAN — Sr. — A fast ball player but a slow Mercury.

ROE LEHMAN — Jr. — A good man on the backboard and will be used next year.

BOB MITCHEL — Jr. — Obtained the rebound trophy for 1950-51 but will have to fight to keep it in 1951-52.

DAVID NUSSBAUM — Jr. — A tall man that will mean a lot to the 1951-52 Central Greyhounds.

ENOS SCHROCK — Jr. — A real good ball player when he has his mind on the game.

DOYLE ARNOLD — Jr. — Champion of the Ball Handlers.

NOT PICTURED:

ROGER LONGENBERGER — Soph. — The only Sophomore on the main Varsity and will be a good man to build the team around in the future.

CENTER:

H. W. BRANDYBERRY — Coach — The center of the ball team and has a memory as long as his little finger.



Varsity Team

The Greyhounds began the season under a new coach, Howard Brandyberry, who had great hopes of making a ball club of these boys as he had at previous schools.

Of the boys who went out for basketball only Charles Hoffman had experience on last year's varsity. The coach depended on him a great deal. Charles was the winner of the free throw trophy given by the coach.

The team fought hard but had bad luck, winning only four of the scheduled eighteen games.

Bob Mitchell, a tall junior, was center on the varsity and will be a credit to the team next year. He was the winner

of the rebound trophy also given by the coach.

Another senior on the squad who had some previous experience was Gerald Nussbaum, who was also a very good rebounder.

Duke Hendricks was a dependable reserve although his chances of playing were limited.

The members of the team that will be back next year are Doyle Arnold, Enos Schrock, Roe Lehman, Roger Longenberger and David Nussbaum.

Here's hoping next year's Greyhounds have a glorious and successful season.



Second Team

Top Row (left to right): Lester Schwartz, Student Manager; Lyle Gerber, Don Holloway, Donald Dick, Eddie Nussbaum, Gene Bluhm, Rud Cook, Student Manager; Mr. Brandyberry, Coach.
Kneeling (left to right): Bill Rowdon, Earl Johnson, Willis Nussbaum, Walter Osterman, Herman Dick, Jim Riley, Jim Brodbeck.



Freshman Team

Top Row (left to right): Bob Steury, Harold Arnold, Jack Hendricks, Raymond Becker, Billy Ross, Dick Longenberger.
Kneeling (left to right): Sherman Arnold, Carl Bluhm, Robert Heare, Lester Egly, Junior Nussbaum.



Junior High Team

Top Row (left to right): Allen Lehman, Albert Egly, Ronnie Wagley, Tom Hoffman, Mr. Reasoner, Coach; Roddy Beer, Dee Myron Byerly, Larry Schwartz, Dick Rowdon, Student Manager.
Kneeling (left to right): John Rowdon, Jerry Sprunger, Jerry Mitchel, Kenny Baumgartner, John Bluhm.



It can't be that bad, Dave.



Come to me you great, big, beautiful BALL!

SENIOR HIGH YELL LEADERS

(Left to Right): Boh Johnston, Elizabeth Johnston,
Rex Bovine.



JUNIOR HIGH YELL LEADERS

(Left to Right): Sonja Shugh, Sharon Hirschy, Paul
Riley.



SOFT BALL TEAM



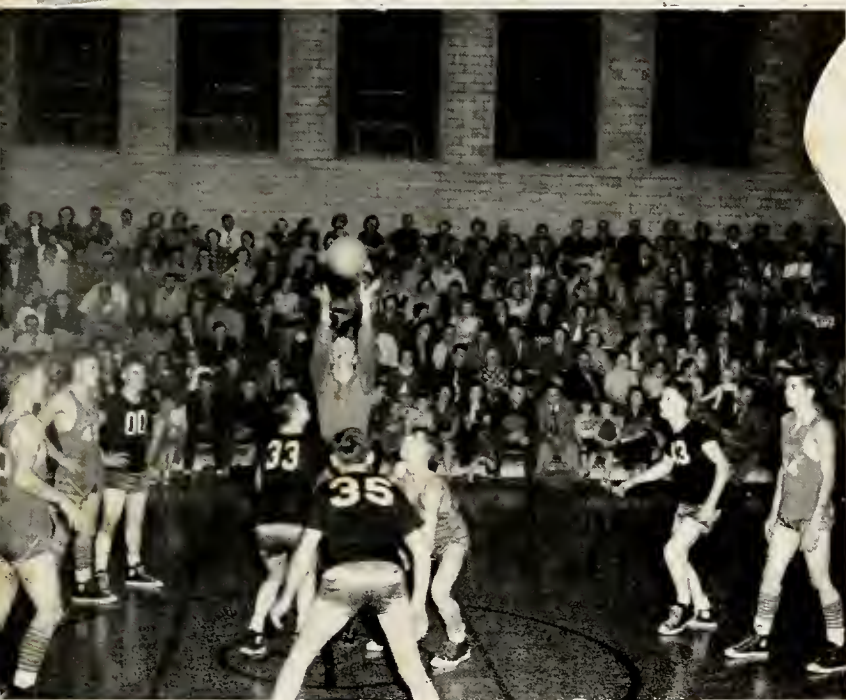
Back row (left to right): Raymond Worden, Wendell Sowards, Duke Hendricks, James Riley, Walter Osterman, Dale Hirschy, Doyle Arnold, Lester Schindler, Herman Dick, Roe Lehman.

Front row (left to right): Lester Schwartz, Charles Hoffman, Enos Schrock, Leroy Kolter, Bob Mitchel, Gerald Nussbaum, Bud Cook, David Nussbaum.

Jim, the ball game!

Don't make a face at me, Don.

The Softball team had a very good season this year by winning four out of their scheduled six games. Three county teams tied for first place so a play-off game was scheduled and Adams Central drew Monmouth. Monmouth won by a score of eight to six. Hartford be at Monmouth and was awarded the softball trophy.



Top Row (left to right):

Future "Daisies"
Over the fence, Poofie.

Second Row (left to right):

Tip it to me, Bob.
Peek-a-hoo!
Time out for a picture, push, pull, slick,
slick.

Third Row (left to right):

Do as the "Boss" says, Enos.
Swing now!



FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA



Top Row (left to right): Mr. Thacker, Sponsor; Eugene Weber, Marvin Taylor, Leon Habegger, Carl Yoder, Dale Hirschy, Lester Schindler, Clifford Hirschy, Lester Schwartz.

Middle Row (left to right): Carl Bluhm, Roger Sauders, Nolan Griffiths, Dave Ringger, Gene Hindenlang, Paul Sowards, Harry Mazelin, Boh Steury, Kenny Grimm.

Front Row (left to right): Harold Arnold, George Geyer, Raymond Worden, Leroy Kolter, Walter Osterman.

The Future Farmers of America Adams Central Chapter

The Adams Central Future Farmers Chapter has twenty-three members who are students of vocational agriculture. These boys have formed this organization to help themselves become better farmers. They are planning to carry out several agriculture projects. Along with their agriculture projects, they have planned recreational and social programs. In all their efforts the agricultural programs of the community have tried to fit their plans into this

larger program. The members truly desire to be the Future Farmers of America.

The officers of the F.F.A. are: President, Raymond Worden; Vice-President, George Geyer; Secretary, Leroy Kolter; Treasurer, Walter Osterman. Their leader is Mr. Thacker.

The club holds its meetings twice a month. In order to increase the club treasury, the boys sold refreshments at the Farmers Institute.



Back row, (left to right): Hattie Thomas, Shirley Ploughe, Patty Beidler, Pearl Huser, Eileen Funk, Norma Conrad, Mary Baumgartner, Norma Funk, Carolyn Egly, Mary Jane Steury, Audrey Andrews.
 Third Row (left to right): Barbara Walters, Elaine Freels, Caro Moser, Mary Micheals, Lupe Costello, Carol Yoder, Mrs. Reed, sponsor; Coleen Hirschy, Arlene Habegger, Virginia Mitchel, Vivian Baumgartner, Lavonne Strahm.
 Second Row (left to right): Marie Habegger, Virginia Taylor, Martha Siders, Irene Schwartz, Delores Graher, Mary Ellen Byerly, Edith Steury, Pat Reed.
 First Row (left to right): Barbara Haugk, Juanita Sapp, Phyllis Mattox, Donna Bucher, Mary Jane Troxel, Velma Strahm, Shirley Steury.

The Home Economics Club just originated this year but seems to be progressing fine. Mrs. Reed is the leader and deserves much credit. She is doing fine in directing the club and also in her first year of teaching. At the present there are forty members in the club.

The club held its first regular meeting of the year on a Tuesday noon. Officers were elected as follows: President, Edith Steury; Vice-President, Shirley Steury; Secretary, Carolyn Egly; Treasurer, Mary Jane Steury; Program Chairman, Mary Jane Troxel; News Reporter, Irene Schwartz; Scrapbook Organizers, Pat Beidler and Mary Baumgartner. The

officers named the club Rekamemoh, homemaker backwards, and chose their colors to be red and white. They also decided to have their meetings the first Monday in every month.

Their first party was a tea held for the mothers of all the members. Besides their regular meetings they have had a Halloween party, a Christmas party, a banquet for the basketball players, a Valentine party, a hay ride and weiner roast, a style show and a pot luck supper for their parents.

We wish the club great success and progress in the future years.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

"Don't Take My Penny"



Lydia, the Mother
Edith Steury

Caleb, the Father
Loren Moser

Penny, their daughter
Pauline Rupert

Mavis, Penny's sister
Carolyn Egly

Mark, Penny's brother
Carl Yoder

Joanna, Penny's best friend
Patsy Teeple

Kerry, Penny's boy friend
Don Haines

Greg, Kerry's best friend
Dmitri Hendricks

Sally, the maid
Diana Crist

Norman Porter, publicity
man Raymond Worden

Gram
Delores Graber

Harrison Day, the author
Andy Schrock

Monsieur Henri, dress
designer Nolan Ginter

Red, delivery boy
Wendell Sours

Models
Donna Bucher,
Myona Hicks,
Irene Schwartz



JUNIOR CLASS PLAY



1st Row (left to right): Ann Inniger, Pat Arnold, Pauline Schwartz, Mary Ellen Byerly.

2nd Row (left to right): Alice Yoder, Miss Preston (sponsor), Fannie Margaret Habegger, Gloria Crownover.

3rd Row (left to right): Dale Warthman, John Liby, Lester Schwartz, Dave Nussbaum.

4th Row (left to right): Don Walters, Earl Yoder.

"Off the Track" was a play dealing with the difficulties of stalled railroad passengers. The setting was in a waiting room of a small wayside railroad station on a dark stormy night. A strange mixture of people were thrown together when a fast train was derailed and the passengers came inside to wait for a relief train.

Members of the class who appeared in the play were: John Liby as Bill, a handsome law student; Earl Yoder as Bill's good-natured friend; Anna Inniger, Mary Ellen Byerly, and Alice Yoder, all as college girls with lots of pep; David Nussbaum as the hen-pecked Willie, fiance of possessive Evalina, played by Mary Ellen Schnepf; Fannie Hebegger as Pidgie McDougel, a curious old maid interested in the contents of a bag guarded by the hard-of-hearing Pazenby, Donald Walters in real life.

In the play Gloria Crownover is a wealthy and haughty Mrs. Vandernevtter; Pauline Schwartz plays an Italian matron; Antonia, her twelve-year-old daughter, is played by Pat Arnold. Lester Schwartz is an illiterate and amusing station attendant, Silas Doblins; and Dale Warthman is the unamused station clerk.



(Left to right): Mr. Goble, director; Mary Jane Troxel, Pat Barg r, Paul Hill.

(Back row seated): Shirley Steury, Anna Inniger, Delores Graber, Irene Schwartz, Lupe Costello, Norma Conrad, Mary Ellen Byerly, Virginia Mitchel, Bob Johnston, Don Walters, Nolan Griffiths, Don Graber, Virginia Taylor, Carl Bluhm.

(Front row seated): Diana Crist, Ronnie Stucky, Clifford Hirschy, Danny Gerber.

BAND AND DRUM MAJORETTE CORP

A band was organized this year by Merle Goble, the new music teacher. Mr. Goble started with an eight-piece band but now has seventy-five band members, twenty twirlers, four of them are in high school, and twenty-four song flutes from the fourth grade. The band played for all the home basketball games and the spring county festival. Adams Central now has one of the largest school bands in the county.



Barbara Wallers, Mary Jane Troxel, Marilyn Durr, Elaine Freels.



Top Row (left to right): Enos Schrock, Marie Habegger, Barbara Haugk, Marilyn Durr, Bernita Ehlerding, Mary Jane Troxel, Patsy Teeple, Delores Graber, Diana Crist, Pauline Rupert, Lupe Costello, Elizabeth Johnston, Mary Lou Hannie, Bud Cook.

Middle Row (left to right): Mr. Goble, Mary Michaels, Mary Jane Steury, Carolyn Egly, Gloria Crownover, Phyllis Kohli, Audrey Andrews, Hattie Thomas, Edith Steury, Irene Schwartz, Pat Barger, Kenneth Frank.

Bottom Row (left to right): Paul Hill, Danny Gerber, Clifford Hirschy, Lester Schindler, Doyle Arnold, Gerald Nussbaum, Jim Riley, Bob Mitchel, Duke Hendricks.

CHORUS

The Adams Central Glee Club has a membership of 54. There is a Boys' Glee Club, a Girls' Chorus, and a mixed chorus. The Glee Clubs sang for the Farmers' Institute and took part in the county music festival. Small groups of the Glee Club furnished music for different programs throughout the year.

As I was walking through the hall the other day, I was detained by a group of teenagers who were blocking the aisle and they all seemed to be grouped about one girl. Suddenly, I heard one say, "Hey, Don, look at this one. He sure does look natural behind bars."

I turned around and looked but I didn't see anything. Then someone else said, "Are they holding their tails? Whoops, sorry! It's their noses."

I couldn't imagine what in the world goes around holding its nose.

"That female is really blowing her trunk, I mean horn, isn't she, Mary Jane," I heard someone say.

Well, by this time I was so bewildered I didn't know what to do. Monkeys, trunks, noses, and horns seemed to be running everywhere and I couldn't see a thing.

Finally, I went up to one girl and asked, "Pardon me but where is the circus?"

"Circus" she whooped. "It's no circus, we're just looking at a Cen-trail."

CEN-TRAILS STAFF

Editor-in-chief	Beverly Lobsiger
Asst. Editor	Mary Ellen Byerly
Sports Editor	Don Haines
Organization Editor	Mary Jane Troxel
Business Manager	Marie Habegger
Assistant Business Manager	Millard Habegger
Literary Editor	Pauline Rupert
Circulation Manager	Carl Yoder
Sales Manager	Raymond Worden

Other seniors who contributed to the success of the annual were: Diana Crist, Patsy Teeple, Norma Jean Funk, Irene Schwartz, Delores Graber, Edith Steury, Virginia Taylor, and Bernita Ehlerding.



CHRISTMAS TIME AT A. C. H. S.



Waiting in line for turkey.

In the lime light.

Rekamemoh Christmas Party.

Enjoying Christmas dinner.

Speech Class gives Christmas Play.

HONORED STUDENTS

A.C.H.S. candidate for County Oration Contest, Edith Steury.

Winner of the Agriculture Pest Contest, Dale Warthmao.

Winner of the Rehound trophy, Bob Mitchel.

A.C.H.S. candidate for Merry Christmas, Carolyn Egly.

Contestants for the County Oration Contest, Edward Jaherg,
Edith Steury, Marilyn Hoblet, Tom Busse.

Winner of the Free throw trophy, Charles Hoffman.



CALENDAR

Sept. 5—First day of school. We're on our last lap.

Sept. 7—Seniors chose class officers. The "big shots" for the senior year.

Sept. 8—The school is bright today with the junior class rings. We beat Monmouth in softball.

Sept. 11—Robert's Studio came to see if we would break their camera.

Sept. 14—Find a place to hide. The seniors are on the lookout for scrap.

Sept. 15—Juniors and seniors decide to sell magazines. Money! Money! Money! Hartford beat us in softball.

Sept. 19—They're back in the winning again. Beat Monmouth.

Sept. 22—It walks. It talks. It's almost human. School lets out at noon for Bluffton Fair.

Sept. 26—Seniors decide on DON'T TAKE MY PENNY as class play. Tough luck. Hartford beat us again.

Sept. 27—Aren't we popular. Cron Studio wants to take our pictures, too.

Sept. 28—What a smell! Senior girls initiated the Frosh girls by taking their shoes off.

Sept. 29—We played Jefferson. Since yesterday the senior girls are considered very juvenile.

Oct. 2—Seniors choose play case. We lost to Monmouth in county softball play off.

Oct. 3—High society! Rekamemoh club entertains mothers at tea. Watch that crook in your finger!

Oct. 5—Senior girls went to Ft. Wayne. Learned how to wrap pretty packages.

Oct. 6—ONE! TWO! THREE! Rah, Rah, Rah! Chose Bob Johnson, Elizabeth Johnson, and Rex Bovine as cheerleaders. Do you notice something strange about Myona? Ask to see her left hand.

Oct. 9—Ship Ahoy! School let out for high water.

Oct. 10—Annual Staff announced.

Oct. 12—We decided to give R & S the privilege of photographing us.

Oct. 13—The goblins will get you if you don't watch out. After play practice seniors go "Halloweening."

Oct. 19—Sorry, we made you mad, Harve.

Oct. 20—Rev. Gillander speaker for chapel services. Here's hay in your hair! Sophomores have hay ride and weiner roast.

Oct. 23—Senior dress rehearsal.

Oct. 24—Your on! First night of senior play.

Oct. 25—Last night of DON'T TAKE MY PENNY. It was work, but it was fun.

Oct. 26-27—Teachers go to school. Eek! Teachers institute. Rekamemoh had a Halloween Party, scares me!

Oct. 30—School gets sued for damages to R & S camera. School blames seniors for damage.

Nov. 1—Eek! Seniors get proofs back. We had first basketball game with Monmouth. You beat us this time, but just look out.

Nov. 2-3—Would you care to put an ad in the annual. Seniors sell ads.

Nov. 8—Rekamemoh Club have meeting.

Nov. 10—Boom-m-m! Chemistry class gets new chemicals. A thriller-diller! We beat Geneva by one point.

Nov. 15-16—Yatta — Yatta — Seniors speech class had debate. To go dutch or not is the question.

Nov. 17—Chapel speaker was Rev. Welty. It looks promising. We won in overtime over Jefferson.

Nov. 21—Staff picked red and silver to be color of cover.



Nov. 22—Oh-h my poor stomach! School enjoys delicious Thanksgiving dinner. Congratulations, cooks.

Nov. 27-Dec. 1—Big holiday! Big snow blizzard keeps us out of school.

Dec. 5—Whoops! Slipped! We lost to Jefferson.

Dec. 6—Open wide. School gets dental survey.

Dec. 7—We lost to Monroeville. Harve! Temper!

Dec. 8—Underclassmen get pictures taken, push, pull, click, click.

Dec. 11—Seniors order announcements.

Dec. 12—Let me out of here. Chemistry class makes hydrogen sulfide.

Dec. 14—Mr. Schierif spoke to school on Russia.

Dec. 19—Seniors get name cards. Rekamemoh held Christmas Party, went caroling, exchanged gifts. More fun.

Dec. 21—You name em, you can have em! Seniors get graduation pictures. Pass the cigars, Mr. Heiman. So it was another boy!

Dec. 22—Christmas vacation starts. School has big party in gym at noon. Merry Christmas every one!

Jan. 2—Happy New Year. Back to the mines, kids, vacation is over. Come on fellas get going. We lost to Hartford.

Jan. 3—Seniors chose caps and gowns. Cadet blue.

Jan. 8—Hey you! Stand up straight. R & S take activity pictures.

Jan. 12—Ho! Hum! We lost to Pleasant Mills.

Jan. 16—Ham, scalloped potatoes, peas, homemade ice cream, Yum—Yum. Rekamemoh Club gives supper to basketball squad.

Jan. 17—Receive pictures from R. & S.

Jan. 19—This is getting to be a habit. We lost to Geneva.

Jan. 22—Had a movie for whole school. Very good.

Jan. 26—Dr. Hankins spoke to us.

Jan. 30—Listen to those knees knocking. Four girls give orations before assembly. Good work, Edith!

Jan. 31—Farmer's Institute.

Feb. 2—Brr-r, School gets out because of cold weather.

Feb. 6—Staff sweats and slaves at Mrs. Reed's house. F.F.A. team lost to Gerber Furniture of Bluffton.

Feb. 7—Beat Pleasant Mills — 55-52.

Feb. 8—Take a deep breath. Juniors and seniors took x-ray test for T.B. Bus broke down coming back.

Feb. 9—Busy Bee seniors got ready for Variety Program. The best cleaning the gym had for a long time.

Feb. 12—"There's no business like show business." Speech class enjoys the stage play "Oklahoma."

Feb. 13—We did it, again. We lost to Monmouth.

Feb. 14—Valentine's Day — Ah! Ha! Romance is in the air.

Feb. 15—And again! We lost to the "Commies".

Feb. 16—Edith Steury participated in the Oratory Contest. She did well. Rekamemoh Club had Valentine's Party.

Feb. 19—Mr. Andrews is tearing his hair over sectional tickets.

Feb. 22-23-24—Hurrah! Hurrah! Sectional time.

Feb. 26—Decatur is celebrating.

Feb. 27—Seniors went to Indianapolis to see state legislature in action. Was the SHOW good boys?

Feb. 28—Ya-a-a! Only 36 more days of school for seniors.

March 2—Chapel speaker was Rev. Richards. We rehearsed for County Music Festival.

March 5—Nice day — Everyone outside at noon drinking in sunshine.

March 6—Chemistry finally paid off. The class went to Chicago.

March 7—June got her man.

March 8—Harve! Must not lose your temper. Naughty boy!

March 9—Bud Cook is in the tatooing business.





March 10—Everything has been sent to the engravers.

March 13-14-15—Big Volleyball Tourney for girls. Seniors prove that they are the ruling class.

March 19—ATTENTION! Someone tried to burn down school. Small bonfire broke out in assembly. Cause traced to Senior and Freshman. Fire was put out before any damage was done.

March 20—Thanks a lot for a swell time, Harve. Poofie, did you slide around?

March 22—All county choral rehearsal at Pleasant Mills. Me-Me-Me?

March 23—Good Friday. School dismissed.

March 26—Be on the look out! Three more Senior girls have staked their claims. Jewelers show new profits.

March 27—Swell job, Mr. Chance. County Music Festival.

March 30—Chapel speaker was Rev. Kriebial. Had full length movie. Congratulations Juniors. It was a swell play.

March 31—Millard Habegger's on top again in comprehensive test at Bluffton.

April 2—My poor feet! Senior skating party.

April 5—Rush! Rush! Deadline is almost here. Track Meet at Jefferson, we won, 46 - 39. Roe Allen had more trouble getting there.

April 6—Deadline is here and editor is sick, more trouble. Freshman blow-out tonight at gym. Movie was shown to whole school.

April 9—Gather up your junk here comes the seniors again. They are on a scrap drive.

April 12—Edith Steury and Marie Habegger went to Home Ec. day at Ball State Teachers' College with Miss Steller and Mrs. Reed.

April 13—Rev. Eicher is chapel speaker. Senior girls are starting a bakery in the Home Ec. Room. Cookies! Cookies! Get your freshly baked cookies.

April 14—Seniors have big bake sale.

April 16—Home Ec. lassies present style show at P.T.A.

April 21—We're on our way. The big trip is today. Everyone is all excited.

April 27—We're home again.

April 29—Baccalaureate Services.

May 3—Commencement Exercise.

May 9—So long, it's been good to know you.





Classes

Audrey Andrews

Audrey, with Harold is going steady and for her date she is always ready.

Kirkland 1, 2; President 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Rekamemoh Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Sec. Office Work 4.



Mary Baumgartner

Mary, who's liked by everyone
Thinks that Herman is the "one".

Monroe 1, 2; Class Play 3; Chorus 2; Rekamemoh Club 4.

Norma Bradford

Norma never does anything bad. There are very few like her to be had.

Monmouth 1; Monmouth Band 1; Chorus 2.



Donna Bucher

Another member of the senior class
Is Donna, an interesting, lively lass.

Kirkland 1, 2; Cheerleader 1, 3; Chorus 1, 2; Rekamemoh Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Class Play 4; Sec. Office Work 3.

June Caudle

June would look very nice in white
She'd make a good nurse, isn't that right?

Woodburn School 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 3; Physical Education 1, 2.



Diana Crist

Diana is very neat and tidy
Her hair and nails are always shiny.

Monroe 1, 2; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 1, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; 2nd Team Cheerleader 1; Booster Club 1.

Carolyn Egly

Carolyn is always cheerful and gay
Her grades are always far up the way.

Kirkland 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Secretary 1; Vice-President 2; President 4; Rekamemoh Club Sec. 4; State Algebra Contest 1; Candidate for "Merry Christmas Queen" 4.



Bernita Ehlerding

"Sophie" is a prominent blonde
And of "Doodle" she is very fond.

Kirkland 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3.

Marilyn Fox

Marilyn's feelings are never known
Because her cares are never shown.

Monroe 1, 2; Girls' Glee Club 1; Chorus 2.



Norma Funk

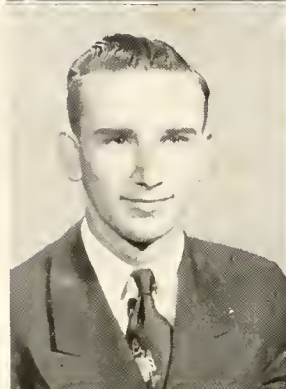
Norma is neither too quiet nor loud
She's one of whom Loren should be very proud.

Monroe 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Chorus 1; Rekamemoh 4.

George Geyer

George adds much life to his class
But in his subjects he seems to pass.

Pleasant Mills 1; Kirkland 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Softball 1; Vice-President of F.F.A. 4; Chorus 1, 3; Class Play 3.



Delores Graber

Delores never speaks had of anyone
And her good deeds she does not shun.

Monroe 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Rekamemoh 4; Booster Club 1.

Marie Habegger

Marie could make sewing a career in life
She'll make some good man a domestic housewife.

Monroe 1, 2; Chorus 2, 4; Class Play 3; Class Treasurer 2; Rekamemoh Club 4; Annual Staff 4.



Donald Haines

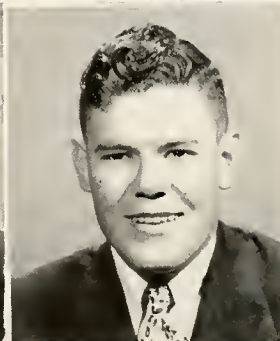
"Doodle" likes to skip out of school
But he never gets caught as a rule.

Monroe 1, 2; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Track 1, 2; Class Play 3, 4; President 1; Vice-President 4; Annual Staff 4; Student Manager 4.

Dmitri Hendricks

"Duke" says "To Neva's its not very far
Who cares if the battery's out of the car?"

Monroe 1, 2; Class Play 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 4; Vice-President 3; Track 1, 2; Band 2, 3; Chorus 2, 4; Baseball 2.



Charles Hoffman

"Chuck" was the life of the government class
Without him the hour would never pass.

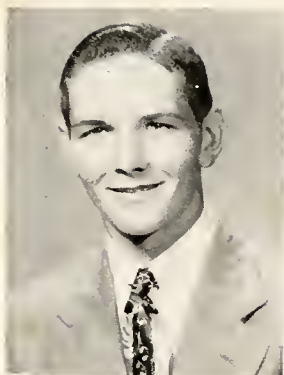
Monroe 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Track 1, 2; Vice-President 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Vice-President of F.F.A. 3; C-Men's Club 3, 4.

Leroy Kolter

When Leroy played on the F.F.A. team

His lessons were secondary, so it would seem.

Kirkland 1, 2; Class Play 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Secretary of F.F.A. 4; C-Men's Club 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4.



Beverly Lobsiger

Beverly's main worry is of men

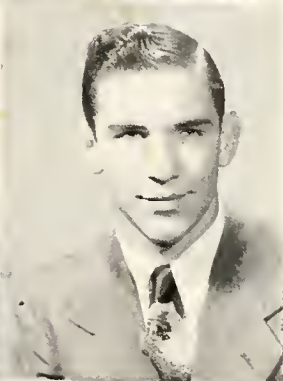
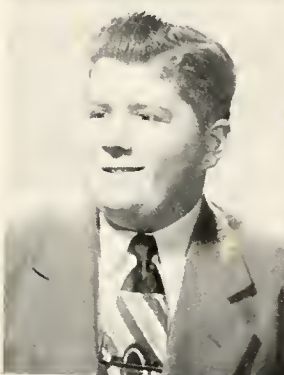
She doesn't want one, she'd rather have ten.

Monroe 1, 2; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 1; Class Play 3; 2nd Team Cheerleader 1; Annual Editor 4; Booster Club 1.

Loren Moser

Loren is a hard farm worker
You'll never be able to call him a shirker.

Monroe 1, 2; Class Play 3, 4.



Gerald Nussbaum

"Poofy" who is slender and tall

Is one of the guys who played basketball.

Monroe 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Class Play 3; Track 1, 2, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; C-Men's Club 3, 4.

Pauline Rupert

Pauline has as much fun as she can

But she'll want just one MAN.

Chorus 1; Monroe 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Sextette 1; Class play 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Booster Club 1.



Andrew Schrock

"Andy" gives an impression rare

But we never see him show his cares.

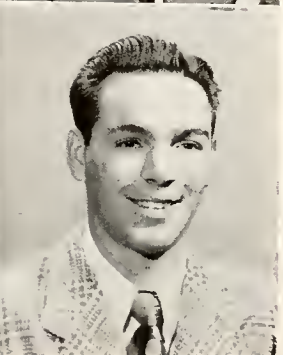
Monroe 1, 2; Chorus 2, 3; Class Play 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3; C-Men's Club 4; Track 4.

Irene Schwartz

Irene would like a diamond on her finger

With other guys she cares not to linger.

Monroe 1, 2; Secretary 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Class Play 4; Rekamemoh News Reporter 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3.



Wendell Sowards

"Wimpy", a jolly member of our class

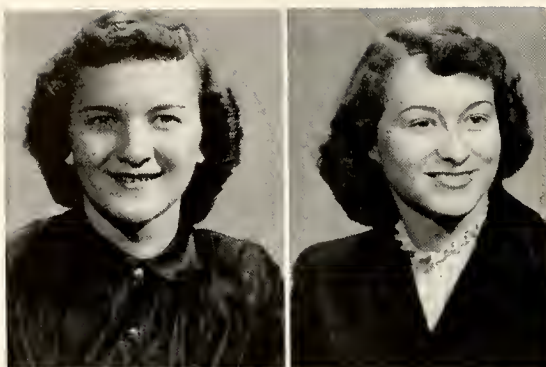
Goes to other schools to see some sweet lass.

Kirkland 1, 2; Chorus 1; Basketball 2; Softball 2, 4; Class Play 4; Track 4; C-Men's Club 2, 4.

Edith Steury

Edith is always the life of a gang
Whatever she says is said with a "bang".

Monroe 1, 2; President 2; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2; Algebra State Contest 1; Geometry State Contest 3; Rekamemoh Club President 4; Class Play 3, 4.



Mary Jane Steury

Sweet little Janie emerged from the gloom
When she knew Paul had sealed her doom.

Monroe 1, 2; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; Treasurer of Rekamemoh Club 4; Booster Club 1.



Lavonne Strahm

Lavonne, taking dictation in Shorthand class
Is wondering if Mr. Lightle will let her pass.

Monroe 1, 2; Chorus 2; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2; Rekamemoh Club 4.



Virginia Taylor

"Ginny", she's called, is nice and neat
To be her friend is quite a treat.

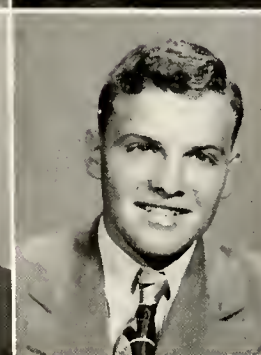
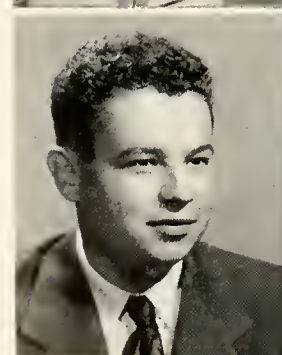
Pleasant Mills 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Band 4; Rekamemoh Club 4.



Patricia Teeple

"Patsy" laughs the live-long day
If only we could all be that way.

Kirkland 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4.



Mary Jane Troxel

Mary Jane plays the symbols and Twirls
She's just another one of the senior girls.

Kirkland High School 1, 2; President 1; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Rekamemoh Club, Program Chr. 4; Annual Staff 4; Secretary Office Work 3; Cheer and Sports Squad; Band 4; Class Play 2; Librarian 1; Queen's Court 3; Drum Majorette Corp. 3, 4; District Entrant; 3, 4; Scholarship Vocal Music Contest; Secretary & Treas. 3, 4.

Raymond Worden

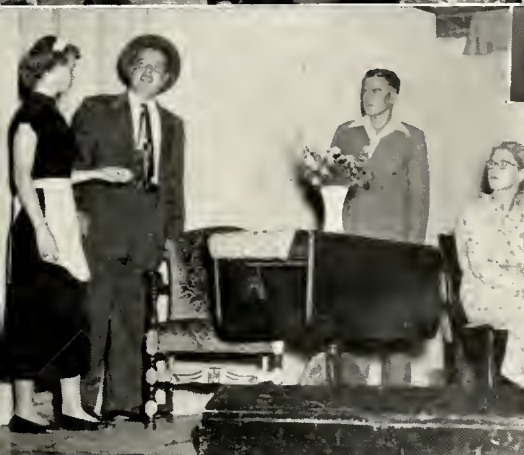
"Cheese" is a lot of fun, that's sure
And we wonder which girl he will allure.

Kirkland 1, 2; Softball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Class Play 4; F.A. 4.

Carl Yoder

Carl is the Greek god of our class
For no better student could teachers ask

Monroe 1, 2; Chorus 2; Class Play 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; F.F.A. 4; Basketball 1; Chart Keeper 1, 2.



Is the game interesting, gals?
Look! The hen laid an egg.
That will keep him well preserved.

Fellows, stay out!
Buddies from way back.
Star gazing, Marie? Well, hello there Kolter.
Happy cousins.

Quit pushing, Janie.
Waiting on someone, Mary?
Aint she pretty:

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

President ----- Carolyn Egly
Vice-President ----- Don Haines
Secretary ----- Mary Jane Steury
Treasurer ----- Diana Crist



HISTORY

Starting our freshman year back in 1947 there were 46 of us in Monroe High School, 14 in Kirkland High School and 3 at Pleasant Mills High School.

Because of the wonderful idea of consolidation of Monroe, Washington, and Kirkland townships into "Adams Central" we started our junior year together for the first time, with 38 to respond to the roll call.

We elected the following as our class officers: president, Rex Erhsam; vice-president, Duke Hendricks; secretary, Mary Jane Troxel; and treasurer, Diana Crist. Our class sponsors were Miss Schertz and Mr. Lightle.

We enjoyed a skating party on October 19 at Fort Wayne, a party at the C. C. C. camp at Bluffton, and most of all the play "Brainstorm" which we produced.

At the end of the First semester one of our faithful members, Beaulah Christener, thought that making a home was more important than education. Bob Grim also left us.

Once again we entered A. C. H. S. with our goal in sight. At last we were seniors. Our first class meeting was called to order by the principal, Mr. Andrews. Officers were then elected: president, Carolyn Egly; vice-president, Don Haines; secret-

ary, Mary Jane Steury; and treasurer, Diana Crist. Mr. Haggard was chosen as sponsor.

Again we lost four of our faithful class members. Helen Brandyberry and Myona Hicks thought they had enough education; they wanted to explore into married life. Rex Erhsam joined the Navy and Nolan Ginter joined the Air Forces, each to fight for his country.

To make money for our senior trip we had bake sales, scrap drives, concessions at ball games and a big Amateur contest.

On October 23 and 24 we gave our senior play, "Don't Take My Penny". On October 30 we tried to smile our best for our senior pictures, but on December 21 we gave everyone a big shock, for we received our pictures.

As our class flower we chose the red carnation, and our colors are green and white.

We the Seniors of "51" are looking forward to April 21 when we will leave for Washington, D.C., and New York for our senior trip; and we anticipate May 3, our last step together, Commencement.

This is the History of the Class of 1951. We've had lots of fun and hate to say farewell, but with our goal sighted and diplomas in hand we say, "Good luck, seniors of tomorrow and not goodbye, just so long".

CLASS WILL

We, the graduating class of 1951, being of perfect physical health (we hope) and of unusual intelligence do hereby publish our last will and testament and hope that everyone will survive their year of great loneliness without us at Adams Central. We are confident that each heir will make good use of our many talents and possessions.

To the faculty, we will that in the future years they will have a quieter, more dignified, group of seniors than they were cursed with this year.

To Mr. Andrews, our well-liked principal, we will another co-operating senior class such as we have been.

To M's- Beavers, we will some more patience and ability to control her temper when students are late to class.

To Miss Preston, we will a new hair-do to impress some young handsome bachelor.

To Mrs. Reed, we will the ability to look like a teacher, so that the boys will stop flirting with her.

To Mr. Haggard, we will a recording machine, so he won't have to tire his voice in giving the seniors heck next year.

To Mr. Lightle, we will a brand new pin ball machine in case he changes his ideas.

To Mr. Collier, we will a new rain coat to wear when his used one gets lost.

To Mr. Thacker, we will the ability to keep the erasers at the blackboard.

To Mr. Heiman, we will some new chemistry equipment, so his future classes can make some more "pretty" experiments.

To Mr. Brandyberry, we will a cute, young secretary so he will be able to keep his notes together.

To Mr. Goble, we will a thirty-piece orchestra.

To the juniors, we will our very dignified ways and the ability to be cocky as seniors most generally are.

To the sophomores, we will two nine-month school years, which they'll have to put up with.

To the freshmen, we will that when you are seniors you may have the privilege of initiating the freshmen and get by with it as we did.

I, Leroy Kolter, do will and bequeath my blue eyes and winning smile to Cleo Landis.

I, Audrey Andrews, do will and bequeath my dainty scream to Henry Wagley and my height to Patty Arnold.

I, Carl Yoder, do will and bequeath part of my shyness to Doyle Arnold and my natural curly hair to David Nussbaum, so he can do without "Toni's."

I, Bernita Ehlerding, do will and bequeath my knowledge of whether or not a mustache tickles to Pauline Schwartz.

I, Carolyn Egly, do will and bequeath the honor of being one of the queen's attendants to Bud Cook, so he can put in practice his feminine charms.

I, Diana Crist, do will and bequeath my turned up nose to Millard Habegger.

I, Irene Schwartz, do will and bequeath my ability to have a boy friend at all times to Jean Haines.

I, Norma Bradford, do will and bequeath my quiet ways to Roe Lehman, hoping that he'll make good use of them in his senior year.

I, Beverly Lobsiger, do will and bequeath my ability to play the piano to Stanley Sprunger.

I, Edith Steury, do will and bequeath my flirting ability to Phyllis Kohli.

I, Loren Moer, do will and bequeath my rosy cheeks to Herman Dick.

I, Raymond (Cheese) Worden, do will and bequeath my good nature to Enos Schrock.

I, Pauline Rupert, do will and bequeath my ability to be a leader among the kids to Raymond Zurcher.

I, George Geyer, do will and bequeath my deep voice and my muscles to Don Walters.

I, Don Haines, do will and bequeath my manly appearance and my ability to tell the right joke at the right time to Clifford Hirschy.

I, Delores Graber, do will and bequeath my typing ability to Anna Inniger.

I, Mary Jane Troxel, do will and bequeath my cute dimples to Lester Schwartz and my charming short hair cut to Mary Ellen Schnapp.

I, Mary Jane Steury, do will and bequeath my ability to go steady with the same fellow for a long period of time to Mary Ellen Byerly.

I, Duke Hendricks, do will and bequeath my collection of bow ties to Dale Worthman hoping that it will "do things" to him as it has for me.

I, Charles Hoffman, do will and bequeath my ability to play basketball to Bob Mitchel in hopes that he will make better use of it than I did.

I, Marie Habegger, do will and bequeath my intelligence to Jim Riley, and hope that he will use it in a way that he will have more fun in school than I have had.

I, Mary Baumgartner, do will and bequeath my ability to dress neatly to Fannie Habegger in hopes that she will continue to do so as she has in the past years.

I, Donna Bucher, do will and bequeath my two years of yell leading ability to Elizabeth Johnston so that she may add it to her two years of being yell leader.

I, Gerald Nussbaum, do will and bequeath my handsomeness and the ability to have all the girls swoon over me, but still stay out of their reach, to Paul Sowards.

I, Patricia Teeple, do will and bequeath my quiet ways to Sally Ross.

I, June Caudle, do will and bequeath my assortment of hair ribbons to Mary Lou Hannie, so that it will draw attention to her black hair; and my sewing ability to Dale Hirschy so that he can save money by making his own clothes as I do.

I, Marilyn Fox, do will and bequeath the ability to sleep in government class and get by with it to Alice Yoder.

I, Andy Schrock, do will and bequeath my flirting ways to John Liby, and also my ability to get on the good side of the shop teacher.

I, Norma Jean Funk, do will and bequeath my lime green Chrysler which I hope to have soon to Lester Schindler to replace his "modern" Chevrolet.

I, Wendell Sowards, do will and bequeath my perfect posture and my silly giggle to Gloria Crownover.

I, Lavonne Strahm, do will and bequeath my nice and friendly disposition to David Sprunger in hopes that he will refrain from his consistent teasing next year.

I, Virginia Taylor, do will and bequeath my pretty green sweater to Earl Yoder in hopes that he might attract some pretty junior girl, and my ability to play an instrument to all of the juniors in order that it will be one step toward the fulfillment of Mr. Goble's dream.

PROPHECY

Hello, Ladies and Gentlemen. This is station WMK bringing you the yearly program of "Our Seniors of Yesterdays". Tonight our reporter will tell you what this station has learned about the members of the 1951 graduating class.

Hello, everyone! I know you are anxious to hear about your old friends so I won't keep you waiting. You remember how bashful Norma Bradford used to be. Well, you will be surprised to learn that she is now touring the country giving lectures on "How to Hold A Man!" Norma's good friend, Norma Jean Funk, was touring with her but she decided that her life's ambition was to be a housewife. So now she is "smacking" two little darlings instead of "pecking" keys on a typewriter.

Last week one day I stopped at several homes along the way to inquire about the new sheriff of Adams County, Pauline Rupert, and I found that she is feared by everyone. You may be interested in her latest arrest. This is the story that I heard: It seems that Don Haines is a bubble gum salesman traveling to all the main cities giving free demonstrations on "HOW TO CHEW GUM WITHOUT GETTING IT IN YOUR MUSTACHE". While he was demonstrating, Pauline came up with a gun in her hand and asked to see his license. Don got so scared, for Pauline was really waving the gun around, that he swallowed his gum and couldn't tell where his license was so Pauline locked him in the county jail. She later released him though.

By the way, have any of you seen the Ringling Bros. Circus, yet? If you haven't you must, for Raymond Wordon is really wonderful. How he ever learned to swing on a little trapeze is beyond me! George Geyer is there, too. He catches Raymond when he falls, for a girl that is.

Do you remember what good friends Mary Jane Troxel and Audrey Andrews were? This friendship still continues for they are now partners and are running the Bluffton Date Bureau. "Business is fine," is the report that the two girls give.

I know that none of you have forgotten how Bernita Ehlerding always read **True Confessions** in bookkeeping class. You will be glad to hear she is now editor of the magazine. Her best author is Diana Crist. Diana's stories almost break your heart.

The famous Olympic Track Star, Speed Demon, is none other than our own Wendell Sowards. Wendell has broken all former records. He gives all the credit of his success to his coach, Andy Schrock.

Marie Habegger really gave everyone a shock. She is the United State's best woman wrestler, and you can now see her on T.V. every Wednesday night.

I was pleasantly surprised the other day when I opened my door, for there stood the former Carolyn Egly with her twin boys, Jody and Mody. Carolyn now lives in a fashionable fifteen room home in Berne.

I searched everywhere for Mary Jane Steury, but I forgot to look one place and that was up in the sky. That is where Mary Jane was, too, for she decided Paul might get lonesome way up there flying a plane. So she joined the Air Force, too, and now is Paul's stewardess.

Charlie Hoffman decided that the restaurant business is pretty good so he bought the former, "Chat & Chew". He now calls his establishment the "Chew It If You Can". Incidentally, Leroy Kolter is his head cook.

Loren Moser, after his graduation, started giving tap dancing lessons. Loren is giving Rockefeller some worrying for the money is really rolling in.

The class of 1951 can really be proud for some of their members have really become famous!

Frank Sinatra is now forgotten; the latest rave of the hobby coxers is none other than Gerald Nussbaum.

Everyone is talking about Mary Baumgartner's wedding which will take place in a few weeks. The famous John Powers Model, Lavonne Strahm, will be the maid of honor. Patsy Teeple, the concert violinist, is going to play her violin at the wedding.

Carl Yoder decided since he was a football hero in the Junior Play he could also be one in college. He is now Michigan State's most valuable player.

Everyone is happy for Marilyn Fox! Marilyn's heart was always in Berne and she now lives there and is the sports editor of the **Berne Witness**.

I know everyone will remember how Edith Steury worried about her hair. After she graduated Edith decided she would help all women who had the same trouble so Edith has become a famous hair stylist. Edith can really cut hair! In fact, her hair styling has greatly increased Delores Graber's Hat Solon business. When Edith gets done cutting, the customers rush to Delores. They have to have something on their heads you know.

When I was in Monroe recently I asked a group of little brats (oops, I mean boys) standing on a street corner where I could find Duke Hendricks. They pointed to a building at the end of the street with a sign "Scout Headquarters" painted on the door. Duke is now the head Scout leader. Incidentally he has several little scouts running around at home.

June Caudle is around in this world somewhere, but so far I have been unable to locate her. The latest report is that she is in Hawaii. I bet June looks nice in a grass skirt.

If anyone has heard anything strange don't call the police, for it wasn't a flying saucer; it was just Irene Schwartz teaching her thirteen children how to yodel and sing "hill billy" music.

Attention all Shorthand Students Shorthand is a subject really worth your while. At least it was for Virginia Taylor. Virginia got herself an office job, sat on the boss's knee, and wrote shorthand as if her life was at stake. Yep, she married him, too!

Another promising young character is Miss Donna Bucher who is now working as a private secretary.

Well, we have talked about all the 1951 seniors but one and that is Beverly Lobsiger. Beverly has really made a name for herself. She toured all over the United States giving piano concerts before going abroad. While Beverly was playing for the King and Queen of England, a Duke of Ireland heard her. He wouldn't take "no" for an answer, so now the Duke and Duchess of Ireland are spending their honeymoon in MONROE.

We sincerely hope you have enjoyed this broadcast. Tune in again next year for some more information on your old friends.

Alas, and Alack

I'm at the end of my tack

But if you liked this—

Next year I'll be back.

Just look for me here

In this book of the year

For these pages of Prophecy

The seniors all fear ! ! !

Top Row (left to right): Chauffeurs?

Apple Polishers?

This is where the smell comes from.

Second Row, (left to right): Some Freshmen root their Saturday night bath, P. U.

Watch that finger, Duke!

Third Row (left to right): One way to entice business

Don't rest too long, there is still more scrap to pick up.



JUNIOR CLASS

Junior Class Officers

Doyle Arnold	Treasurer
David Nussbaum	Vice-President
Millard Habegger	Secretary
Roe Lehman	President

Last Sept. we started to school as Juniors, hoping to finish another year of our four year term. Our director of class activities was chosen to be Mrs. Read.

To boost the amount of money in our class treasury we and the seniors sold magazines and we sold the most. In Jan. we sponsored the Dixie Four to raise more money. This proved to be a big success.

In March we presented the play, "Off The Track" under the direction of Miss Preston.

With the closing of school every member of the class is looking forward to being a member of the ruling class at ACHS in "52".

First Row, left to right: Doyle Arnold, Patricia Arnold, Mary Ellen Byerly, Norman Cook, Gloria Crownover, and Donald Dick.



Second Row, left to right: Fannie Habegger, Millard Habegger, Jean Haines, Mary Lou Hannie, Clifford Hirschy, and Dale Hirschy.



Third Row, left to right: Anna Inninger, Elizabeth Johnston, Phyllis Kohli, Cleo Landis, Roe Lehman, and John Liby.



Fourth Row, left to right: Bob Mitchell, David Nussbaum, Jim Riley, Sally Ross, and Mary Ellen Schnepf.



Fifth Row, left to right: Enos Schrock, Lester Schwartz, Pauline Schwartz, Paul Sowards, David Sprunger, and Stanley Sprunger.



Sixth Row, left to right: Henry Wagley, Don Walters, Dale Warthman, Alice Yoder, Earl Yoder, and Raymond Zurcher.



SOPHOMORE CLASS

Sophomore Class Officers

Shirley Steury	Secretary
Roger Longenberger	President
Virginia Mitchel	Treasurer
Marilyn Durr	Vice-President

The Sophomores had a quiet year, I guess they are saving their energy for next year.

The highlight of the whole year was a hay ride and party held on October 20.

Howard Brandyberry was the class sponsor.



First Row, left to right: Patricia Barger, Vivian Baumgartner, Wendell Beer, Gene Bluhm, Jimmy Brodbeck, Leroy Chamness.

Second Row, left to right: Donald Dick, Marilyn Durr, Frederick Ehlerding, Kenneth Ehrman, Elaine Freels, Eileen Funk.

Third Row, left to right: Lyle Gerber, Arlene Haegger, Luther Hedington, Walter Hicks, Coleen Hirschy, Donald Holloway.

Fourth Row, left to right: Hubert Isch, Earl Johnson, Ernest Liechly, Roger Longenberger, Mary Michaels, Virginia Mitchel.

Fifth Row, left to right: Edward Nussbaum, Willis Nussbaum, Walter Osterman, Kay Ratcliff, Patricia Reed, Bill Rowdon.

Sixth Row, left to right: Martha Siders, Shirley Steury, Marva Strahm, Marvin Taylor, Barbara Walters, Eugene Weber.



FRESHMAN CLASS

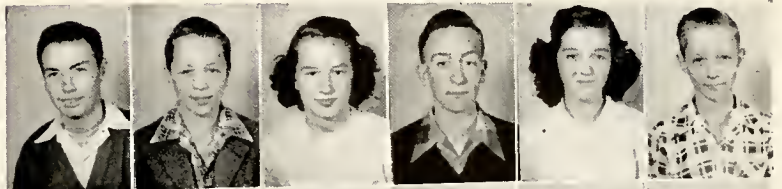
Freshman Class Officers

Patty Beitler	Secretary
Harold Arnold	President
Lester Egly	Treasurer
Pearl Huser	Vice-President

The Freshmen started their first year of high school with a lot of pep because the first few days as high school students were quite exciting, but the excitement soon wore off and they settled down to face their four years of high school.

They enjoyed one class party held in the gymnasium in April. J. E. Thacker was their sponsor.

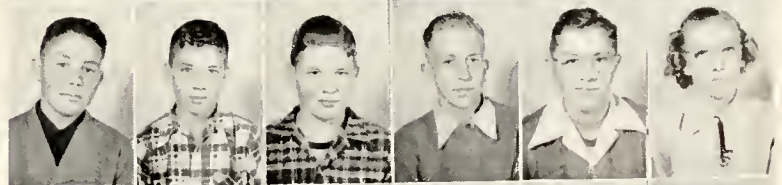
1st Row: Harold Arnold, Sherman Arnold, Flossie Baumgartner, Raymond Jr. Becker, Patty Beitler, Carol Bluhm.



2nd Row: Rex Bovine, Norma Conrad, Lupe Costello, Lester Egly, Kenneth Franks, Lester Gerber.



3rd Row: Danny Gerber, Don Graber, Nolan Griffiths, Kenneth Grim, Leon Habegger, Barbara Haugk.



4th Row: Robert Heare, Jack Hendricks, Paul Hill, Carolyn Hirschy, Gene Hindenlang, Pearl Huser.



5th Row: Bob Johnston, Dick Longenberger, Harry Mazelin, Caro Moser, Phyllis Mattox, Junior Nussbaum.



6th Row: Kenneth Parrish, Shirley Plouge, Bill Ross, David Ringger, Juanita Sapp, Roger Sauder.



7th Row: Floyd Simon, Bob Steury, Velma Strahm, Ronald Stuckey, Hattie Thomas, Carol Yoder.





Top (left to right): Smile Gals!

Snowbound.

"I've got live. Who'll give me ten?"

Bottom (left to right): Lightle's the proud lather.

Next year's seniors.

You've got competition, Marilyn

Center: Don't let us bother you.



BRANDBERRY

3-4 Grades

1st Row (left to right): Robert Brown, Scarlett Feasel, Betty Frank, Joyce Harman, David Isch, Carol McKean.

2nd Row (left to right): Evelyn McKean, Dewit Mertz, Palmer Nrick, LaMar Null, Linda Reber, Sandra Sanders.

3rd Row (left to right): Terry Schnepp, Carl Shaw, Bernard Shoaf, Tommy Shoe, Kay Singleton, Roger Snyder.

4th Row (left to right): Joe Sprunger, Sandra Stepler, Annette Thomas, Pamela Walters, Terry Witte, Marvin Zimmerman.



Mrs. Harriet Mills
Teacher

MEUENSTEBERG

1 to 5 Grades

1st Row (left to right): Alice Ann Beer, Leonel Bixler, Larry Forman, Dale Hirschy, Kay Jones.

2nd Row (left to right): Marilyn Lehman, Waneta Lehman, William Lehman, Margery Moser, Anthony Sharp.

3rd Row (left to right): Lois Steury, Evan Yoder, Gloria Yoder, Janis Yoder, Muri Yoder.

Not Pictured: Peter Schwartz, LaVerne Schwartz, Johnny Schwartz, Barbara Eicher, Flossie Eicher, Christian Graber, Mary Sprunger.



Teacher
Elmer Ehrsam

1st Row (left to right): Sheldon Bixler, Esther Brehm, Jacob Eicher, Johnny Eicher, Glenda Jones.

2nd Row (left to right): Franklin Lehman, Roy Mazelin, Ronda Nussbaum, Richard Schwartz, Nancy Steury.

3rd Row (left to right): Anita Yoder, Joyce Yoder, Judy Yoder, Richard Yoder, Steven Yoder.

Not Pictured: Emma Troyer, Daniel Schwartz, Leah Schwartz, David Graber, Sylvan Schwartz, Rosa Schwartz, Amos Schwartz, Christian Schwartz.



Teacher
Frances Beaty

REINKER

5- 6 Grades

1st Row (left to right): Donald Bailey, Jerry Beard, Doris Ann Bluhm, Ronald Cosson, Patricia Grim, Ellen Harman.

2nd Row (left to right): Gloria Harman, Roger Hawkins, Shirley Hirschy, Ronald Hurst, John Isch, Carol Kirshner.

3rd Row (left to right): Cecilia Lehman, Cynthia Lehman, Linda McKean, Caroline Mitchel, Daniel Null, Rose Null.

4th Row (left to right): Bette Royer, Karen Reed, Connie Roe, Gretchen Schnepf, Gordon Singleton, Phyllis Singleton.

5th Row (left to right): Martha Shaw, Wesley Shoe, Jacqueline Snyder, Glen Strickler, Robert Trimble, Lorraine Walters.

6th Row (left to right): Jim Wine, Judy Worthman.



Teacher

Mrs. Delores Byerly

DEBOLT

1-2 Grades

1st Row (left to right): Judith Arnold, Richard Beard, Roger Clark, Michael Drake, Edward Feasel, Marvin Fosnaugh, Susan Frank.

2nd Row (left to right): Michael Hakes, Kay Harmon, Joe Harmon, Jerry Hirschey, Jerry Hurst, Dianna Kershner, John Landis.

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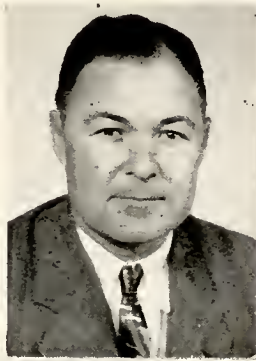


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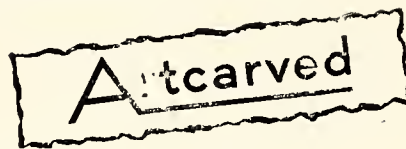
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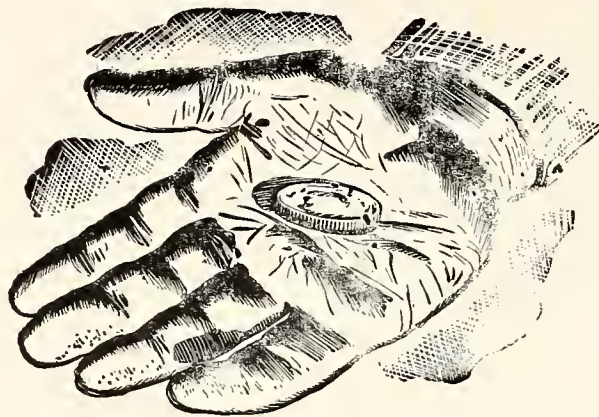
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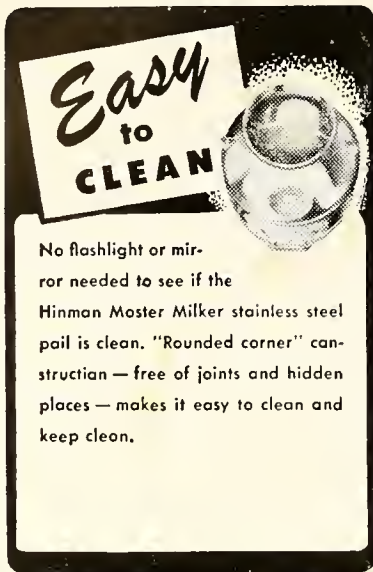
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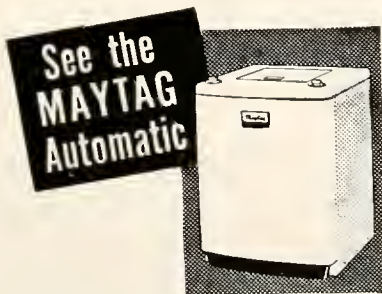
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